

MRS. LOCK'S PARTY

Entertained Her Friends With a Swim.

UNIQUE INVITATION ISSUED

Misses Springgate, Oliver and Williams Entertained.

"Mrs. Locke invites you to be in the swim. Bring bathing suit and hat with a trim. Those who do not care to go in can sit on the bank or hang on a limb."

Such were the unique invitations to which many fortunate ladies responded last Tuesday afternoon, and Mrs. Locke's swimming party will long be remembered as the most novel and probably the most delightful event in social circles this season.

The elegant home in Riverside is most conveniently located on the banks of the Arkansas, and every other arrangement for the comfort and convenience of the guests had been made in accordance. Mrs. Locke, in costume, received the guests in the large reception hall, from which they were ushered to the dressing rooms above to don bathing suits, and each was greeted with a round of applause as she appeared in the parlors below. After the pretty and becoming suits had been sufficiently admired, the party repaired to the banks of the river, where they were transported in a large bathtub to the opposite side and landed at a most inviting resort which had been prepared with rugs, chairs and cushions, etc., for the comfort of those who did not care to take the plunge. The boat was decorated with a large pennant in our national colors, and the Misses Johnson furnished music from stringed instruments during the passage. Soon the river presented a gay scene, as the ladies in many colored costumes disappeared themselves in the water. Cooling draughts were served from the boat to the swimmers and on shore to the watchers.

Many attempts were made at swimming, but only one young lady, Miss Groves of Kingman, could accomplish the difficult feat, and in compliment of the same was presented with a miniature pair of bathing sandals. The most graceful bather, a diminutive bathing costume, was awarded to Mrs. Frank Wood.

After the bath came the transformation scene, when more formal garments were assumed, and a dainty and palatable menu was discussed. Mrs. Frank Talbot and Mrs. Jackson assisted with the refreshments.

Many kodak pictures were taken of the party at different times, which will prove interesting reminders of the most happy event. Those invited were Mesdames Finley Allen, Frank Talbot, W. A. Reed, W. C. Little, H. C. Loomis, J. P. Allen, E. B. Allen, T. W. Starnett, Charles H. Brown, Charles W. Brown, T. B. Glosser, A. C. Jones, Charles Aylesbury, L. B. Ferrell, Addison McCoy, W. P. Homan, H. J. Hagney, W. E. Stanley, Henry Wallenstein, C. J. Fletcher, S. S. Noble, Murray Myers, J. C. Davidson, S. B. Amidon, Newton Clark, Frank Dean, Harry Stewart, Frank Wood, R. H. Campbell, D. A. Garst, Victor Murdoch, Ballard of Chicago, Brake of Dayton, O., R. A. Churchward, H. L. Jackson, George Mann, George Matthews, Misses Myrtle Hinton, Gertrude Jackson, Lue Jackson, Margaret Brown, Wells of Kansas City, Irma Levi of Lawrence, McKibben, Beale Reed, Florence Reed, Lillian Reed, Beale Reed, Cora Noyes, Lillian Lewis, Edith Moffatt, Groves of Kingman, Saline Ross.

MISS SPRINGGATE, OLIVER AND WILLIAMS ENTERTAINED.

Quite the event of the season was the lawn party given by the Misses Springgate, Oliver and Williams at the home of the latter, 184 North Market street, on last Monday evening to fifty of their friends and acquaintances. The house and grounds were beautifully decorated with the national colors of red, white and blue, and the lawn was covered with a soft, mellow light over a scene of youth and beauty seldom equaled. The amusements of the evening consisted of unique games, music and dancing. Perhaps the most notable feature of the evening was the novel manner in which the gentlemen had to choose partners before refreshments were served. The young ladies had each provided a picture of themselves that had been taken during their babyhood, which were passed around among the young men, who were expected to select a lady from the picture given him. To say that they got the ladies and pictures badly confused is only a hint at the confusion which caused no little amount of amusement. Refreshments were served at 1 o'clock, consisting of ice cream, cake and fruit. After a most delightful evening the guests departed, recalling the trio of young ladies and the lawn party still as an event of the future and not of the past.

Those who were so fortunate as to receive invitations were Misses Olive, Lillian, Francis and Mable Hutchinson, Ruth Lathrop, Avie and Katherine Lynn, Jessie Washburn, Clara Vandiver, Lella Bank, Pearl Martin, Maud Clark, Eva and Crete Peoples, Anna Mahoney, Nina Westfall, Phoebe McComb, Jessie McLean, Maud Spencer, Lillian Starz, Lella Scott, Ethel Robbins, Myrtle Oliver, Mable Williams and Fred Springgate; Messrs. Will Bowers, Fred Williams, Alfred and Ed Crook, Arthur Sims, Jesse and Fred Rought, Ralph Martin, Matt and Harry McGargle, George and Ralph Burke, Ray Cushman, Arthur Rave, George Lyndon of

HE TOOK THE TRAIN

Missouri Pacific Freight Train Is Chased.

BY A SWITCH ENGINE

Breakman Knocks Conductor Out and Pulls Away.

BET! Whist! Zoom!

That was the swift way that Brake-man Alexander Lynch went after Conductor Debrautz in the Missouri Pacific freight yard yesterday morning, as nearly as presentable English will describe a shower of knockout flat lugs. Then Mr. Lynch gave the engine the high sign to pull out, clear light, and the regular 8:40 freight train for Hutchinson got clear to Maize, twelve miles, without any conductor and only one brakeman. All this while the Missouri Pacific yard switch engine, with orders for Conductor John Veigle to take charge, and an extra brakeman, were chasing after with as much speed as the "sawed-off" could work up.

It was all over nobody knows what, but when Superintendent Webb gets the straight of the matter it will probably not be necessary for a railroad man or two to ask, "Where are we at?" There was some trouble between Conductor Debrautz and Brakeman Lynch about the time their train was due to leave. The train was already made up, but one or the other complained of some irregularity in the way it was done. Some particular car was out of its place. However that was, Debrautz ordered Lynch to the forward part of the train. Whether Lynch took exception to the man in whose order the train was given or whether he wanted to settle up some old score is not known, for he was the forward brakeman and belonged next to the engine. He objected to some phase of the matter at any rate and struck the conductor, first with his fists and then, it is said, with a chair. When he was through he stepped to where he could see the engine, who was waiting for signals, and gave him the high ball, and away went the train. Conductor Debrautz was too badly used up to do anything, so he gave it up. The other brakeman notified the trainmaster.

By this time Lynch and his free-hand train was away up the line and steaming for Hutchinson at full pressure. The trainmaster ordered out the switch engine for chase and sent word to Conductor John Veigle to get on and overtake the freight. But the switch engine probably never would have overtaken the train had it not had to stop at a sidetrack at Maize to let the passenger by.

Veigle took charge of the train and ran it out the line, with Mr. Lynch and an extra brakeman. A hearing will be had by the company and somebody will probably be dismissed.

FOR MISS MCKNIGHT.

Miss Ma Kinkaid entertained an informal Klunk in honor of her friend, Miss McKnight of St. Louis, Tuesday afternoon. The favors were designed by the hostess in red, white and blue, with condiments written upon them, which afforded considerable amusement.

Last Wednesday a gay picnic party enjoyed the beauties and recreating enjoyment of the new park in an all-day outing. The party was composed of the young people of the east part of the city, and a most enjoyable occasion it was to all those who took part. The young company went out to the park at an early hour of the day, and remained until long after nightfall, proclaiming the day a success and the affair a thoroughly enjoyable one. The guests of the occasion were: Misses Iva Cole, Jennie Ladd, Mabel Rogers, Marguerite Smith, Pearl Rouse and Ruth Rogers. The party took their dinner at the park, played games and thoroughly enjoyed themselves for the day. Miss Bessie Ladd was the chaperone of the party and in every way acquitted herself as one fitted to look after the wants of such a group.

Last Thursday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dieffenbach, Mr. Vivaldy Turley and Miss Anna Dieffenbach were united in marriage. Rev. E. A. Newby of Canton, Mo., brother-in-law of the groom, officiating. Mr. Jay Sweet of this city was the best man and Miss Myrtle Turley, sister of the groom, bridesmaid. Miss Lila Shepherd of this city played the wedding march. On Friday evening, at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Oatville, was extended a formal reception to the young pair, at which many Wichita citizens were present. At both occasions a large number were in attendance, testifying by their presence to their enduring esteem for the young couple. Many useful and appropriate presents were received by the wedded pair, and they commenced their new career with the best wishes of a host of friends.

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Owing to the rain on last Wednesday the all-day picnic to be given by W. R. C. No. 46, assisted by L. A. S. No. 11, at Riverside park, was postponed to Wednesday next, August 24, and in case of inclement weather at that time the society will meet in Garfield hall. All come and bring lots of lunch. Don't forget to bring your needles and thread prepared to finish making sandwiches for Cincinnati convention and notwithstanding the work to be done, we will have a jolly good time. By order of the president.

There will be a business meeting of the Young People's Chapter of St. John's church tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the church.

Mrs. W. Witten of Cheney was here yesterday shopping. She returned to her home last evening on the Wichita and Western.

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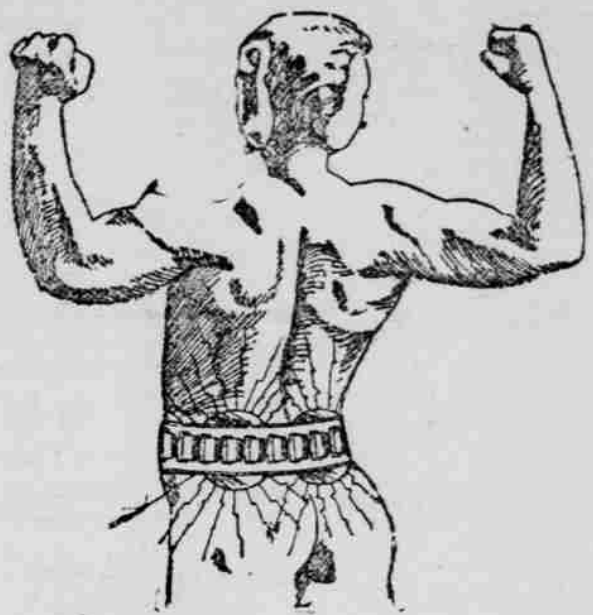
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Body Will Be Taken to Chicago For Burial Today.

George Stark Miller died Wednesday, August 18, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the home of his sister, Mrs. Martha Brooks, 1029 North Topeka avenue.

Mr. Miller was born in New York City 47 years ago, the 27th instant. His father had been a book-binder for thirty years in that city, but early in the 50's moved to Illinois, and from there to Missouri, where the deceased was educated and grew up to manhood. In 1889 he located in Leadville, Colo., and in 1892 came to this city and engaged in the real estate business, the firm name being Miller & Shepard, with offices on Oak street. Later, the firm name was Miller & Wright, with offices on North Market street.

In 1894 he returned to Leadville and engaged in business. About three weeks ago he sold out his interests there and returned to this city.

Mr. Miller was never married. He was a true exponent of the motto of "God honor his name the noblest work of God." In all his relationship with his fellow man he performed every duty and lived up to the highest and best standard of citizenship, and while it is not known that he ever joined any church organization, yet his whole life lay close to the divine injunction: "Thou shalt love thy God with all thy heart and thy neighbor as thyself." He will long be remembered in this city as a model, quiet, dignified gentleman.

This morning as the church bells call and stunner alike to the various places of worship in this city the train will bear his remains from these familiar scenes to their final resting place in Rose Hill cemetery, Chicago.

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